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**In The Abstract:**

*In place of the current Abstract, substitute therefor the following rewritten Abstract:*

Prefastened absorbent articles (20) can be made by having a singular fastening mechanism that includes an oversized fastener (60) to provide stability between the front waist region and the back waist region and to maintain the prefastened configuration. The prefastened absorbent articles can include a multiple property fastener (60) that has at least one engagement zone (65) and at least one non-abrasive zone (67).